

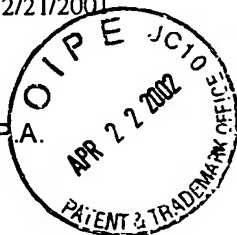


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CONFIRMATION NO. 6755

FORMALITIES LETTER



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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(l) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PATENT
Docket No. 150.01100101

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Gundu M. Sabde)
Serial No.: 10/028,616)
Confirmation No.: 6755)
Filed: December 21, 2001)
For: METHODS FOR PLANARIZATION OF GROUP VIII METAL-CONTAINING
SURFACES USING FIXED ABRASIVE ARTICLE

Group Art Unit: 3723

Examiner: Unknown

COMMUNICATION RE: MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Attn: Box Missing Parts
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application," enclosed is an executed Declaration by the named inventors. Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$130 for the missing parts surcharge. Please charge any additional fees or credit any over-payment to PTO Deposit Account No. 13-4895.

The application should now be in condition for examination. Please direct any inquiries to the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted for

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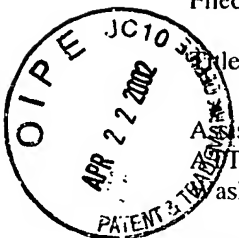
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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We are transmitting the following documents along with this Transmittal Sheet (which is submitted in triplicate):

- ☒ An itemized return postcard.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement (___ pgs); copies of ___ applications; 1449 forms (___ pgs); and copies of ___ documents cited on the 1449 forms.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 130.00, for missing parts surcharge.
- ☐ A certified copy of a ___ application, Serial No. __, filed _____, the right of priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.
- ☒ Other: Communication Re: Missing Parts (1 pg.); executed Declaration (2 pgs.); executed Election Under 37 C.F.R. §§3.71 and 3.73 and Power of Attorney - including copy of executed Assignment (2 pgs.); Submission of Drawings Under 37 C.F.R. §1.85 (1 pg); and Drawings (5 figures on 4 sheets).
- Amendment ☐ No Additional fee is required. ☐ The fee has been calculated as shown:

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Independent Claims				x \$84 =	
One or More New Multiple Dependent Claims Presented? If Yes, Add \$280 Here →					
Total Additional Claim Fees Required					

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers and please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4895. Triplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.

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